10/584477

IAP2 Rec'd PCT/PTO 23 JUN 2006

EXPRESS MAIL CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 CFR 1.10

I hereby certify that the paper(s) identified above, and any document(s) referred to as attached hereto, is being deposited with the United States Postal Service on the date indicated in an envelope as "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" and is addressed: Mail Stop PCT, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, Virginia, 22313-1450.

Christine Kotran

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant

Thomas Hille, et al.

Serial No.

Filing Date

Herewith

Examiner

Group Art Unit:

Title

WOUND DRESSING AND ADHESIVE WOUND

DRESSING COMPRISING A VASOCONSTRICTIVE

INGREDIENT, AND PROCESSES FOR THE

PRODUCTION THEREOF

Attorney File :

RO4283US (#90568)

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT PURSUANT TO 37 CFR 1.97

Mail Stop PCT Commissioner for Patents P O Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia, 22313-1450

Dear Sir,

Under the provision of 37 C.F.R. 1.56, 1.97 and 1.98, Applicant would like to call the Examiner's attention to the references listed on the attached Form PTO-1449. Copies of any U.S. patent or published application references are not enclosed. Copies of any non-U.S. patent references and non-patent references are enclosed, unless indicated otherwise.

In accordance with 37 C.R.F. 1.97(b)(1), and as this Information Disclosure Statement is being filed with the application, the Statement is submitted before the issuance of a first Official Action on this case.

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.97(g) and 37 C.F.R.1.97(h), filing of this

Information disclosure Statement shall not be construed to be an admission that the information cited in the statement is, or is considered to be, material to patentability as defined in 34 C.F.R. 1.56(b).

The Examiner is requested to make the attached references of record and to consider these references along with such other references deemed pertinent as a result of the Examiner's own independent search and examination.

Respectfully submitted,

Reg. No. 48,817

Date: June 23, 2002

D. Peter Hochberg Co., L.P.A. 1940 E.6th Street – 6th Floor Cleveland, OH 44114 (216) 771-3800 SFM/SM

FORM PTO-1449

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant

Thomas Hille, et al.

Serial No.

Filing Date

Herewith

Examiner

Group Art Unit:

Title

WOUND DRESSING AND ADHESIVE WOUND

DRESSING COMPRISING A VASOCONSTRICTIVE

INGREDIENT, AND PROCESSES FOR THE

PRODUCTION THEREOF

Attorney File:

RO4283US (#90568)

Mail Stop PCT
Commissioner for Patents
P O Box 1450

Alexandria, Virginia, 22313-1450

USPATENT DOCUMENTS

Examiner Initial	Document Number	Date	Name			
	5,098,417	3/24/92	Yamazaki, et	al.		
 	6,190,689	2/20/2001	Hoffmann, et	al.		
		U.S. Published Applic	cations			
Examiner Initial	Document Number	Date	Name	<u> </u>		
	2002/197302	12/26/2002	Coch	rum, et al.		
	2003/017970	1/23/2003	Rodgers, et al.			
		Foreign Patent Documents				
Examiner <u>Initial</u>	Document Number	Date	Country	Translation (Yes/No)		
	EP 0 338 173	10/25/89	ЕРО	No		
	EP 0 998 311	5/10/2000	EPO	No		

	GB 722 629	1/26/55	GB	No			
,	WO 97/35564	10/2/97	wo	No			
	WO 03/101421	12/11/03	wo	No			
	Other Prior Art (Inc. Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)						
Examiner							
Initial	Document						
	Barret, et al.; "Effect of Topical and Subcutaneous Epinephrine in Combination with Topical Thrombin in Blood Loss;" Burns, Vol. 25, No. 6; pages 509-513 (Feb. 10, 1999) *						
Examiner	Date Considered:						
Examiner:	Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609; Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to Applicant						

^{*} Denotes a copy will follow